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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

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Endangered Species; Marine Mammals; Issuance of Permits

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of issuance of permits.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), have issued the following permits to conduct certain activities with endangered species, marine mammals, or both. We issue these permits under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) and Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA).

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On the dates below, as authorized by the provisions of the ESA (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), as amended, and/or the MMPA, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), we issued requested permits subject to certain conditions set forth therein. For each permit for an endangered species, we found that (1) The application was filed in good faith, (2) The granted permit would not operate to the disadvantage of the endangered species,

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and (3) The granted permit would be consistent with the purposes and policy set forth in section 2 of the ESA.

Endangered Species

Permit number	Applicant	Receipt of application <i>Federal Register</i> notice	Permit issuance date
37543B	Byron Wates	79 FR 39409; July 10, 2014	September 16, 2014
40316B	Ramon Gonzalez	79 FR 52038; September 2, 2014	September 2, 2014
39418B	Exotic Feline Breeding Compound Inc.	79 FR 52038; September 2, 2014	November 25, 2014
43610B	Exotic Feline Breeding Compound Inc.	79 FR 52038; September 2, 2014	November 25, 2014
43611B	Exotic Feline Breeding Compound Inc.	79 FR 52038; September 2, 2014	November 25, 2014
42019B	Byron Christie	79 FR 52038; September 2, 2014	November 25, 2014
27473B	Ryan Blakley	79 FR 57968; September 26, 2014	November 17, 2014
43444B	William Farrar	79 FR 57968; September 26, 2014	November 25, 2014
43445B	Robert Brocchini	79 FR 57968; September 26, 2014	November 25, 2014
43448B	Richard Lane	79 FR 57968; September 26, 2014	November 25, 2014
187330	University of Illinois–Zoological Pathology Program	79 FR 60182; October 6, 2014	November 10, 2014
42307B	Lions, Tigers & Bears	79 FR 62662; October 20, 2014	November 20, 2014

Marine Mammals

Permit number	Applicant	Receipt of application Federal Register notice	Permit issuance date
067116	University of Florida, Aquatic Animal Health Program	79 FR 48244; August 15, 2014	November 10, 2014

Availability of Documents

Documents and other information submitted with these applications are available for review, subject to the requirements of the Privacy Act and Freedom of Information Act, by any party who submits a written request for a copy of such documents to: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Management Authority, Branch of Permits, MS: IA, 5275 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA 22041; fax (703) 358-2281.

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